G.R.S. IX—5]

Previous references. 1922 Aug 3 **File No.** 458-22 **Serial Nos.** 1—11

Later references.

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Serial Nos.

Part B for November 1923.

SUBJECT

Petition from Syed Mahomed Shameshuddin Khadri praying that the post of the Chief Kheji of the Mysore State held by his father can be conferred upon him.

RO 722 dated 23.11.23 To the petitioner

His request cannot be granted as it is ascertained that there was never any such appointment was held by his father in the State

A1463

MEMO OF INTERVIEW WITH THE DEWAN.

Saturday..... 15 JUN 1923

D2276

16 JUN 1923 PRIVATE
MUZRAI

Name of Interviewer-

9.8.401
15.6.23

Representation in brief—

G. R. S. III—3]

ROUTINE NOTES.

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Petition from
Syed Mahmud Shamsuddin
Khadri praying for
the appointment of
the chief Khazi
of the Mysore State.

The petition is
addressed to the Diwan
and has been refd
to the Branch, with
the Diwan's order
circated in the margin

Mus. D. no. 63-1922
S.C. no. 53 on the
subject, is submitted.

On a similar
petition to the

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G. R. S. III—3]

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Inuz Comr in Mysore,
that officer requested
Inuz. D. no. 1932 of 1892-3
appointing the Peshi
Jaheer as Khazi of
Seringapatam. The
file was sent to that
Office.

The Peshi. Prayer
is being drawn
in the Inuz. Comr's Office.
Sd/ [illegible]
Mr
18/6/93.

The matter is being
worked up in the Municipal Office
which sent the main file
from the records. Sd/ [illegible]

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[illegible] Peshi Prayer sent to the Munsif
for a report
Sd/
18-6-93

Received
DCS 18/6/93

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Ref Dewans
Minute on the subject.
Slip
First Draft

10%17-562

Yes. Mr M.C may be asked to expedite submission of the report.
The appointment of Khaja is, I believe, not hereditary. Though there is nothing to prevent a son or other heir being appointed as such provided he is otherwise competent & capable.

Read
21.C.28

Draft

Draft submitted

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G. R. S. III—3]

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Cob. No 1
to the Asst. Comm.
Jodhpur R. Cob—
for report. —

Submitted for perusal, with reference to the Dewan's orders on the Interview Slip.

Revdecy) 30/6/23

Key Dewan's
note dated 15-6-23
on the interview slip
The question
is whether we
should impose the
Imperial Commissioner's
sanction) 2/11/8/7/23

Please send a/c

DEWAN'S OFFICE.
Recd. on JUL 11 1923
Reg. No. 281

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Cob. No 1
to the Asst. Comm.
Jodhpur R. Cob—
for report. —

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16.7 11/16/7/23

Draft
dcg
16/7/23 OV 16/7

MEMO OF INTERVIEW WITH THE DEWAN.

Saturday, ...*1920.*

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Name of Interviewer— 137.23

GEN 14 JUL 1923 P.T.
MUZRAH
D 74

Representation in brief—

Matter has happened
to the press.
Interview

G R. S. III—3]

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Murzai File re the Provinces Inhuman petition D 2276-Mus 63-2.2 was sent by to the Dewan on 11.7.23. The file relates to the Khojas' Kh agreement Letter [illegible] and a report thereon. The I.O.'s there also, for from the Mus Comm The papers, have been sent to the Dewan. Sd to Comm with petition & relevant slips.

Sd. 14/7/23 Revsecy)

DEWAN'S OFFICE.
Recd. on JUL 1923
Reg. No. 391
14.7.23.

Sd 14/7/23

Sd 16/7/23

Sd 16/7

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This was returned with papers today

16-7-23

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Submit this a DFT.

17.7.23. RL

17/7/23

Issue

17/7/23

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G. R. S. III—3]

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Syed Mohamod Shamsudeen
Khadri.

To
The Secretary
Govt. of India
Revenue Dept.
New Delhi
with Compliments.

M Hamam
Personal Asst.
to Member
Railways Board
1817

The connected papers are putup. The Secretary Member has perused them (vide notes on page 5 below.) In accordance with the Order of the Division Sahib, the Mess Cutr has been asked to expedite submn of the report already called for.

SK
18/7/23

To the Secretary Govt of India
Revenue Member, with
Compliments.

Sd
18/7

for
18/7 M/19/7/23

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ROUTINE NOTES

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From, The Muz Commr
Letter no. C. 215 Dy 21. 7. 23.

Submits report on the application of Syed Mahomed Shamsuddin Khadri applying for the post of Chief Khazi of the Mysore State.

The Muz. Commr consulted Messrs. Syed Taj Peeran and Zahiruddin Saheb as to whether the applicant would be acceptable for the inspection of the Mahomedan Muznai cases and whether such inspection

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N.I. has necessary the replies receive from them, have been flagged.

Mr Zahiruddeen Khan states that the applicant would not suit for the post of an inspecting officer while Mr Taj Peeran is of opinion that he may be appointed Mudivalli of the Jumma Masjid at Mg. Soc. (which place has already been filled up).

The Insp. General is unable to give a decided opinion in view of the above, and reports that the Malleses will be still under Con-

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ROUTINE NOTES.

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and adds that the Peer appeared to him to be a man of superior culture.

Submitted for orders

AJB
24.7.23.

The following points seem to require elucidation:-

1) ~~that~~ was there ever a Chief Khazi of the Hanafi Sect? If so, ~~what was~~ who was it? What were his functions?

2) For what period has the place been vacant?

3) If there was no such office at all, what was in force to create one now?

4) As there was nothing in writing to show belonging to the Chief Khazi

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W D 1660—GPB—1,50,000—25-21

Syed, Shia, Sunni, Pathan etc. with not a Chief Khazi belonging to one sect

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Give room for ~~Trouble~~ ~~Headshaw~~ ~~Headshaw~~ Trouble?

If approved the Registrar may make entries in the above this reply requested within the end of this month.

S.L.
24/7/23 (2nd Member) 28/7/23

675.
28.7.23

NA

When in the petitioner's favour case flag is up

28/7

The petition is flagged

737
31.7.23

31/7/23

The petitioner says that the petitioner should be given a chance to show cause why the respondent State should not be appointed for the plaintiff. Was there any application for a change to show cause why the State and was it heard for the petitioner before there are grounds which are material in this case; and I. first as well - then proceed either on the notice motion or on the affidavits comes as well I would make note on the above petition. If so Dis

Secretary, if there is available on the 2/8 after the judgment application for leave to

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G. R. S. III—3]

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Draft of an enquiry
Subuh for appt.
The connected file viz
No. 193 of 1892-3 was
forwarded to the Insp. Genl.

No
G.S.23 4/1893 — Issue
dcg
4/1893

No. 194 of 18/8/94
to Insp.-General.

Enquires whether
there was such an appt.
as Chief Khazi for the
whole State & whether
held by the petn's father

Thence, the Insp. Genl's
Letter No. Pol.C.218 dt. 15.8

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G. R. S. III—3]

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(G.O.No. 529-30 Jy
21.11.93)

Reports that the
petn's. father held the
post of Seringapatam Khazi
and in addition, when required
by the Inam Dept.
he had to inspect the
Mahomedan institutions
in the State for which
he was allowed Travelling
allowance etc., but that
the appointment was
not designated as chief
Khazi for the whole
State

Submits for orders

AV
22.8.23

5744.
27.8.23.

RS
25/8/23 (2nd Member)

25/8/23

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G. R. S. III. 2]

Muzrai Secretariat

Muz. File No. 457 of 1922.

Serial No.

The petition of the Dewan of Pudukkottai states that he is the hereditary Chief Karbari of the Tondaman State; and he has asked to be appointed to the post in place of the late

It is ascertained that there was no such post as Chief Karbari of the Tondaman State but the petitioner for the post did once hold such appointment.

The petitioner for the Karbari of Ramnad or Sivaganga: and his services were utilized by the Ramnad Zamindar for negotiating the Tondaman's marriage with the Sivaganga Karbari's niece. It is not a qualification for the post. Moreover his appointment is not for the State but for the "Chief Karbari of the State". No such appointment can now be created for him: the only thing to be done is an endorsement of approval of the Dewan to the effect that it is understood that he was never duly appointed as Karbari of the State, that his request to be appointed to the post cannot be granted.

Dewan with compliments

(with reference to his letter dated 16/7/20 in file 4 of 1920 now)

Noted

Noted

28/8

NOTE—Contn. sheet

WD 0561 - GPB—3750—1-8 22

Syed Mohamed Shamshudeen
Khadri.

Serial No.

Saturday,... ..... 31 AUG. 1923

Name of Interviewer— (Re Chief Khazi's place)

9 P 39
31.8.23

Representation in brief—

Papers at present the case may be
Interim

Reserve with Govt Y.
S. E

Draft D.O to the Hon Govt calling for certain info: in regard to the existing Khazi ship for appln or orders. Issue & re-submit

Note—Contn. sheet

1/9/23 (Hamid) 1/9/23

Muz. File No. 457 of 1922

Serial No.

9 Nr. 349 dt 5/9/23 to the Mun. Comm.

Requests to furnish Commn info. about the Khaji of the Masjid-ala at Serinja-patam.

10. From the Mun Comr. Nr. 215 dt 10.10.23 Submits report regarding particulars of pay &c of the Khaji of the Masjid-ala at Serinjapatam.

In reply to the Devan Sahib's query on the Secret Members' minute dt 28.8.23 (Page 14 Supra) enquiring when the present Khaji was appointed, it is stated that he was appointed on 24.6.18 as the Khaji also at Rs 25/- He is now 45 years old, a Mussalman and is reported to be doing his duties "quite satisfactorily" He is said to bear no relationship to the Previous Khaji who is said to have been an outsider

The reports of the Dy Comrs and the Muz Comr are now given consideration regarding the present matter.

Subd for perusal & orders

12/10/23

2nd Member

Dewan.

18/10.

Noted

23/10

NOTE—Contn sheet

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DEWAN'S OFFICE.
Recd. on OCT 25 1923
Regd. No. 2684

Recd 24.10.23 in Mr. 429 dt 22.10.23.

Muzrai Secretariat | Muz. File No. 457 of 1922

Serial No.	
2684	The Govt. ordered by the Hindu rules & regs. of the 28th inst. may issue
	Dft. Govt. 12.10.23
	Dft. Govt. 12/10/23 12/10/23
	Govt. 14.10.23.
373 15.11.23.	2nd member)
	Govt. 16/10/23 16.10.23
11	To the petitioner Syed Mohamed Shamsuddin Khadri of Bangalore.

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Muz. File No. 457 of 1922

Serial No.	
	Informs him that no such post as Khaji of the State was held by his fathers & that his request to be appointed to his father's post cannot therefore be granted.

NOTE—Contn. sheet

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Ref C.No. 215 38645
Encl. Nil

Office of the Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore,
Dated, Bangalore, the 30th April 1923.

From

K. Chandy, Esquire, B.A.,
Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore,
Bangalore.

GEN. SECRETARIAT
2-MAY 1923
MUZRAI

D.2055-

To

T.E. Jayarama Aiyar, Esquire, B.A., B.L.,
Secretary to the Government of His Highness
the Maharaja of Mysore, Revenue Department,
Bangalore.

Sir,

In forwarding herewith for reference and obliging return petition dated 14th April 1923 together with its enclosures received from Hafiz Syed Sha Mahomed Shamsudeen Adadri of Bangalore, I have the honor to request you to be so good as to send for reference the original Secretariat files relating to the appointment of the petitioner's father as the Chief Kazi of Seringapatam with power to tour and inspect institutions.

2. The collections will be carefully returned when done with.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,
K. Chandy
Muzrai Commissioner.

D.N.

The connected file Muz.193 of 1892-93 is traced and put up. If approved, the letter will be sent to the Muzrai Commr. per report as returned as desired by him.
Yes. Put up with a draft.
19.5.23.

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SUBJECT.....

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Diary No. of letter replied to 2055 H2 – 23.

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File No.

Serial No.

Muzrai Secretariat

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No. 2870

one file and
Record Collection

Date of issue 23.5.23

Signed by Mr. D.C. Subbarayappa

To

The Muzrai Commr in Mysore

Sir,

As requested in your letter No. Pet. 4. M. 215 dated 30th April 1923, I am directed to forward herewith the papers and records pertaining Muzrai file No. 193 H 1892-93 relating to the appointment of Hafiz Syed Mohamed Meer Yusuf Yahib

over.

21/5/23

Khazi of Yeningapatam.
The file may kindly be returned
as early as possible.

2. The enclosures received with your
letter are herewith returned.

I have etc.,

Secretary to Govt,
Revenue Dept.

List of enclosures.

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Inwd. D. 2276.

To

A. R. Banerji, Esquire, M.A, I.C.S., C.S.I., C.I.E.,

Dewan of Mysore,

BANGALORE.

May It Please Your Excellency:

The humble memorial of Syed Mohammad Shamshuddin Khadri, son of the late Syed Mohammad Meer Suvad Shah Saheb Khadri, Siraj-ul-Ulma - (Light of the Learned) Chief Khazi of Mysore State, residing in No.100 Albert Victor Road, Chamarajapet, Bangalore City:

Most Respectfully Showeth:

1. That Your Excellency's humble memorialist most respectfully begs leave to approach with the following his humble prayer with a firm belief that the same would meet with success at Your Excellency's generous hands.

2. That the memorialist belongs to a very high and respectable family. His father was the Chief Khazi of the Mysore State. He was bestowed with Khillats and Padakams in recognition of his vast learning and piety with the title of Siraj-ul-Ulma by His Gracious Highness the late Sree Chamarajendra Wodayar Bhadur. Further he was also exempted from "Kambar Bund" while attending the Durbar. As his head quarters at Seringapatam the memorialist's father was appointed as Chief Khazi of

the whole State of Mysore. He was also allowed the travelling allowance of the double Second Class fare while on his inspection duty. This position was - held and enjoyed by him till his death which took place in the month of March 1904. Throughout his life he was leading a saintly life.

3. That after the death of his father, the memorialist approached the then Dewan Sahib Sir P.N. Krishnamurthi, who was gracious enough to promise that the said place of Chief Khazi would be bestowed on the memorialist after he attains the Majority, and was also pleased to advise the memorialist to get himself duly qualified for the post.

4. That Your Excellency's memorialist has undergone training in the Religious studies for about 9 years at Delhi and also at Bangalore, and as such, he feels quite confident to take up the charge of the place of his father. That the said appointment being considered as a hereditory one, it has been kept vacant hitherto. A true copy of the order of the Benign Government No. 529-30 Muz.F.114-92 dated 20/21 November 1893 passed in favour of the father of the memorialist is herein enclosed for favour of perusal.

5. That under the foregoing circumstances that Your Excellency's humble memorialist most respectfully craves that he may be graciously appointed as Chief - Khazi of the Mysore State in the place of his father. For which act of grace the memorialist remains ever grateful.

15th June 1923.

Proceedings of the Government of His Highness the Maharajah of Mysore, Muzrai Department.

Read :-

Memorandum dated 30th May 1893, appointing one Hafiz Syed Mohamed Meer Suvad Saheb as Khazi of Masjid-i-ala at Seringipatam on a salary of ₹ 35 per mensem and stating that he will in addition to his duties, be required by the muzrai Superintendent to inspect the Mohemadan Institutions in the Province.

Order thereon, No. 529-30/ Muz. F. 114-92

Dated Bangalore, 20/21 November 1893.

As the aforesaid Hafiz Syed Mohamed Meer Suvad Saheb is often required to inspect different Mohamedan Institutions in the Province under the orders of the Muzrai Superintendent , Government are pleased to sanction to him whenever he travels on public duty the following rates of special travelling allowances and batta, the same being debited to the Muzrai General Surplus Funds of the Province.

1. Double Second Class fare for travelling by rail.
2. Mileage at 6 annas per mile for travelling by road.
3. Daily batta at one rupee per day.

(Signed) A. Srinivasacharlu,
Secretary.

Copies of Testimonials

GRANTED TO

Mr. Syed Mahomed Mir Kaf Shah Khadri.

COPIES OF TESTIMONIALS.

LALAN BHAVAN,
BANGALORE 21ST AUGUST 1912

Dewan Bahadur Puttanna Chetty (Senior Councillor, Mysore State, Retired) and Rao Bahadur A Srinivasa Charlu who was long at the head of the Department of Charitable and Religious Institutions of the State, have spoken to the respectability of Pir Saheb Syed Mahomed Mir Kaf Shah Khadri and the esteem in which, he is held by the mahomedan community. I can confirm everything these gentlemen have said of the Pir He has succeeded to the Pirship of Lakadshah Makan, lately held by his brother whom I had the privilege of knowing well and for whose learning and piety I had the highest regard.

(Sd) V. P. MADHAVA RAO,
(Retired) Dewan of Mysore and Travancore.

BANGALORE, 13TH AUGUST 1912

Mr Syed Mahomed Mir Kaf Shah Khadri is well known to me He is the Pir of Lukadsha Makan in the City of Bangalore He belongs to a highly respectable family He is a brother of the late Syed Mahomed Mir Suvad Badsha Khadri Sahib who came from Swat and settled down in Bangalore He was a most learned scholar and was held in high esteem by His Highness the late Maharaja Chamaraj ndra Wodiyar Bahadur who was graciously pleased to confer upon him the high title of "Siraj ul Ulma" and "Khaja-ul-Khuzzath" with a neck-lace and Khillat. He was appointed the chief Khazi of the historic Mosque at Seringapatam, once the capital of Hyder Ali and Tippu Sultan. His brother Mr Syed Mahomed Mir Kaf Shah Khadri is maintaining the same

traditions and enjoys the esteem and regard of the community.

(Sd.) K. P. PUTTANNA CHETTY,
DEWAN BAHADUR, Retired 1st Councillor.

BANGALORE, 17TH AUGUST 1912.

This is to certify that the bearer hereof Mr. Syed Mahomed Mir Kaf Shah Khadri is a respectable member of the Mahomedan Community in Bangalore. He has disciples all over the Madras Presidency and also in Travancore State. He is much esteemed for his learning in Arabic He deserves much encouragement.

(Sd), A. SREENIVASA CHARLU,
Retired Muzrai Secretary to Government and
Inspector General of Registration in Mysore.

KUMARA PARK,
BANGALORE, 15TH SEPTEMBER, 1912

Mr. Syed Mahomed Mir Kaf Badsha Khadri is a resident of Bangalore and the brother of the late Mr. Khaji Syed Mahomed Mir Swad Badsha Khadri Siraj-ul-Ulma.

K. DORASWAMI IYER,
Revenue Commissioner.

SUBJECT .....

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File No. ~~Miscellaneous~~
Serial No. ~~608~~ 11

No. 3097
Oct 1923

To

Date of issue 28-6-23

The Muzrai Comr

Signed by Mr. D.C. Subbarayappa

In continuation of this office letter no. 2840 dt 23-5-23 forwarding Muz. D. no. 193 of 1892-3 relative to the appointment of the Khazi Seringapatam, I am directed

A Very Early
for favour of report
petition regd. no 2276
from Syed Mahomed
Shamshuddin Khadri
praying that he may
be appointed as the
Chief Kazi of the
Bangalore State.

I have etc

Asst. Secretary.

List of enclosures

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SUBJECT ....

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File No. 4-7-21
Serial No. 325=5

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D.O. No. 85

Date of issue 18.7.23

To

D O.

Signed by Mr. D.C. Subbarayappa

My dear Sir,

I am desired to invite reference to this office letter no. 3097-Muz. 104-22 dy 28-6-23 calling for a report on the application of Syed Mahomed Shamsuddin Khaimee applying

Chief Khazi of the Mysore State, and to request him to be so kind as to give ~~his~~ ~~personal attention to the subject, and~~ forward the report with the subject without further delay.

The Dewan wants a reply within a fortnight.

List of enclosures

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WD 0563– GPB—2 500—27 7 22

IMMEDIATE AND CONFIDENTIAL.

2036 Office of the Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore,
Dated, Bangalore, the 20th July 1923.

From

K. Chandy, Esquire, B.A.,
Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore,
Bangalore.

To

T.E. Jayarama Aiyar, Esq., B.A., B.L.,
Secretary to the Government of His Highness
the Maharaja of Mysore, Revenue Department,
Bangalore.

Sir,

With reference to your D.O.No.85/M.F.104-22-106 dated the 18th instant, calling for an immediate report on the application of Syed Mahomed Shamshuddin Khadri, requesting to be appointed chief Khazi of the Mysore State - a post held by his late father, I have the honor to state that on receipt of a similar application in this office, Messrs. Syed Taj Peeran and Zahiruddin Mecci were unofficially and confidentially consulted as to whether the applicant would be acceptable for the inspection of the Mahomedan Muzrai Institutions in the State and whether such inspection was necessary. The replies received from them are submitted herewith in original. Mr. Zahiruddin Mecci is in favour of the appointment of an inspecting officer but he thinks that for reasons given in his letter the applicant would not suit for the post, while Mr. Tajpeeran is of the opinion that he may be appointed Mutavalli of the Jumma Masjid at Mysore. But this place has already been filled up by the appointment of the late Mr Dervish Peer's son.

I regret that I am yet unable to give a decided opinion in view of the above, but have the matter still under consideration and I wish to add that the petitioner appears to me to be a man of

of superior culture.

The enclosures may kindly be returned when no longer req

I have the nonor to be,

S i r,

Your most obedient servant,

Kilcaudy

Muzrai Commissioner.

19.7.23

19 23-24.

From

The Deputy Commissioner,

Tumkur District.

To

The Muzrai Commissioner in

Mysore, Bangalore

Dated the 14th July 1923.

Despatched

Received

General No.

No.

Enclosure No.

Re: the petition of Hafiz Syed Shah Md.Shamsuddin Khadri, requesting to be appointed the Chief Khazi of Seringapatam and of the State.

Office of the

Confidential. Tumkur District,

Dated Tumkur, the 14th July

From

Md.Zahiruddin Mecci, Esquire, B.A.,

Deputy Commissioner, Tumkur District,

T u m k u r.

To

K.Chandy, Esquire, B.A.,

Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore,

B a n g a l o r e.

S i r,

Adverting to your confidential Memo No.P.C.215/22-23 dated the 26th ultimo, forwarding unofficially for an expression of my opinion on the petition of one Hafiz Syed Snah Md. Shamsuddin Khadri, requesting to be appointed Chief Khazi of Seringapatam and of the State etc., I have the honour to state that though the petitioner may have taken a course in Mahamadan Theology etc., in the College at Deoband, yet he is too young and wanting in experience to be acceptable for inspecting Mahamadan Muzrai Institutions in the State.

As regards the necessity or otherwise of such inspection, I beg to answer in the affirmative. Apart from the Gumbaz at Seringapatam and the Dargah of Bababudan, there are several Mahamadan Muzrai Institutions, which owing to want of supervision and inspection from time to time, have been neglected, and whose management is far from satisfactory. Without attempting to enumerate all such, I may just refer to a couple of them for the purpose, such as the Dargahs at Mulbagal, Sivasamudram etc,.

The petitioner has applied to be appointed Chief Khazi at Seringapatam. But a nephew of His Holiness Syed Shah Sherkhan Ahmad Sahib Shuttari, of the Makan near the Lal Bagh at Bangalore,

Bangalore, on whom His Highness the late Maharaja conferred the unique honour and title of " Sheikhul Mashayekh" and who after the sad and untimely demise of His late Highness, was specially invited to the Palace by Her Highness the Maharani Regent and presented with the Padaka and the Khillat, is now the Chief Khazi at Seringapatam.

I do not, for the present, think it necessary to offer any opinion about the appointment of Mutwalli of the Jumma Musjid at Mysore raised by Mr.A.K.Syed Taj Peeran.

The enclosures received with your Memo are enclosed.

I have the honour to be,

s i r,

your most obedient servant,

Deputy Commissioner,
Tumkur District.

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STRICTLY CONFIDENTIAL.

Office of the Deputy Commissioner,
Shimoga District,
Dated Shimoga 16th June 1923.

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From

A.K. Syed Taj Peeran, Esquire, B.A.,
Deputy Commissioner,
Shimoga District.

To

K. Chandy, Esquire, B.A.,
Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore,
Bangalore.

Sir,

With reference to your Confidential Memo No. P.C. 215/22-23 dated 13-6-23 forwarding unofficially petition of Hafiz Mohamed Shamshuddin Khadri requesting to be appointed as Chief Khaji etc., I have the honour to state that the - Mohamadan Muzrai Institutions in the State are very few and with the exceptions of Gumbuz of Tippu Sultan and the Darga of Babadudan, the others are of minor importance. I do not consider that any inspecting Officer for ~~from~~ the Muzrai Institutions is called for.

I may however suggest that the petitioner who has no doubt qualified himself by studying the Mahamedan Theology and undergoing a special course in the traditions (Hadees), Tafseer (Commentary on the Koran) in the College at Deoband in Northern India may be appointed as Mutuvalli in the Jumma Masjid of Mysore in the place of Syed Darveesh Peer Khadri who died recently. This appointment is not at all a hereditary one and Darveesh Peer's immediate predecessor was one Mir Bahauddin

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Bahauddin Sahib, uncle of Mr. Mir Nizamuddin
son of Mr. Darvish Peer, I understand, has not
secular or religious education to be compared in any
the petitioner

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Deputy Commissioner,
Shimoga District.

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To The Muz. Comr.

Signed by M C Subbarayappa Sri,

Adverting to your letter no. C. 215 Dy 21-7-1923 reporting on the application of Syed Mahomed Sharf Shuddi Khadri requesting to be appointed Chief Khazi of the Mysore State

over.

8/8/23

I am directed to request to be furnished with information on the points noted below:—

(i) Was there such an appointment as Chief Kazi for the whole State? and

(ii) Has it held by the petitioner.

I have etc.

List of enclosures

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Office of the Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore.

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Dated Bangalore, 18th August 1923.

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K. Chandy, Esquire., B.A.,

Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore,

Bangalore.

T. T. Jayarama Aiyar, Esquire., B.A., B.L.,

Secretary to the Government of His Highness

the Maharaja of Mysore, Revenue Department.

Sir,

With reference to your No.194/Muz.104-23-2 dated 10th instant, requesting to furnish certain information regarding the appointment of Chief Khaji for the whole state, I have the honor to state that - the petitioner's father Hafiz Syed Mohomed Meer Suvad Sahib held the appointment of Khaji of Masjid-i-ala at Seringapatam and in addition to this work he had, when required by the Muzrai Department, to inspect Mahommedan institutions in the State for which he was allowed ----- Travelling allowance etc. vide Government Proceedings No.529-30/Muz. F.114-92 dated 20/21st November 93 but the appointment was not --- designated as Chief Khaji for the whole state.

The Secretariat Muzrai File No.193 of 1892-3 which contains papers pertaining to the appointment of the petitioner's father and received with ~~file~~ your No.2870/Muz.63-22-53 dated 23rd May 1923 is ---- returned herewith for kind perusal.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

K. Chandy

Muzrai Commissioner.

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

(*Continuation sheet draft form.*)

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Dear Sir,

I am desired to request the file information about the Khazi of the Masjid i ala ~~Gumbaz~~ at Seringapatam

1) What is his name?
2) How old is he?
3) When was he appd?
4) What is his pay?
5) What are his qualifications for holding the appt?
6) Is he doing the work satisfactorily?
7) What relation if any does he bear to the previous Khazi Hafiz Syed Mahmood Mir Sawad Sahib?

A very early reply is requested.

Yours &c.

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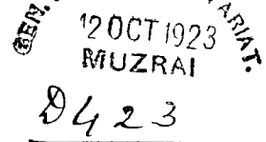
To

The Mysore Comm

15/and one. 12983 Office of the Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore.

Dated Bangalore, 8th/10th October 1923.



From

K. Chandy, Esquire., B.A.,

Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore,

Bangalore. 9423

To

T. E. Jayarama Aiyar, Esquire., B.A., B.L.,

Secretary to the Government of His Highness

the Maharaja of Mysore, Revenue Department.

Sir,

With reference to your D.O.No.349/Muz.104-25-7 dated 5th September 1923 calling for certain information about the Khaji of the Masjid-i-Aala at Seringapatam, I have the honor to state that the present Khaji Mr.Syed Zamin Peeran who is now about 45 years old was appointed to the place on 24th June 1918 on a pay of Rs.25/- per mensem. It is reported that he is conversant with Persian and Urdu languages, versed in Khoran reading and all religious matters such as "Fikha" and "Akhyed" and that he is doing his duties quite satisfactorily without any complaint.

He is said to be a Mysorean but does not bear any relationship to the previous Khaji Hafiz Syed Mahomed Nur Sayad Sahib who is stated to have been an outsider. The present Khaji above named is reported to be the nephew (younger brother's son) of Shekhul Mashayath Hazaratn Sahju Sahib Shuttari of the Fauj Makan, Lalbagh Road, Bangalore City.

A copy of the letter No.Dy Dis.No.14/23-24 dated 20th September 1923 received from the Deputy Commissioner, Mysore District, in the same matter is also enclosed herein for reference.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

K. Chandy

Muzrai Commissioner.

Letter No.D_2 Dis No.14/23-24 from the Deputy Commissi
Mysore District to the Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore.

"As called for in your letter No.Pet.C.218/23-24 dated 10th September 1923, I have the honor to furnish information on the --- following points about the khaji of the Masjid-i-ala at Seringapatam as per report received from the Taluk Amildar to-day.--

(1) The name of the khaji is Syed Zamin Peeran.

(2) He is about 45 years of age.

(3) He is reported to have been appointed to the place on 24th June 1913.

(4) His pay is Rs.25/- per mensem.

(5) He is said to be conversant in the Persian and Urdu --- languages, knows Khoran reading and all religious matters, such as "Fikha" and "Akhayed".

(6) It is reported that he is doing his duties quite satisfactorily without any complaint.

(7) Khazi Syed Zamin Peeran is said to be a Mysorean and that he does not bear any relation-ship to the previous khazi -- Hafiz Syed Mohamed Mir Sayad Saib who is stated to have been an outsider. But the present khazi is reported to be the nephew (younger brother's son) of Sheknul Mashayath Hazarath Sahju Saib Shuttari of the Bada Makan, Balbeen Road Bangalore City."

" C o p y "

for Muzrai Commissioner.

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To

Date of issue 23.11.23.

Signed by Jm T Ramanga

Endorsement granting
to Syed mahomed Sham
Suddin Khadri with ref.
to his petition regd. no.
2276 praying that the
post of the chief Khazi
of the Mysore State
held by his father,
may be confirmed upon
him

over.

The petr is informed that
it is ascertained that there
has never any such
appointment as Khazi of
the State which was
held by his father,
and that his request to
be appointed to the place
in lieu of his father
cannot be granted.

His petition is
accordingly rejected.

By order,

DD/ Rev. Secretary

12/11/23

Copy to the Insp. Genl. of Police with ref. to correspondence ending with his letter No. 215 D 10-10-23

DD/ Rev. Secretary

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